

2022 Commercial Crew Children's Artwork Contest

Deadline: January 6, 2022, by 5:00 ET

RULES:

Children ages 4-12 around the world *—including NASA families—are encouraged to submit artwork for various space-related themes.

1. Parents are limited to verbal assistance only. (No parental drawings, please.)
2. All entries must be freehand artwork drawn on the attached entry form. No traced pictures or computer-based artwork will be accepted. All others will be disqualified.
3. Crayons, markers, pencils, pens, chalk, pastels, watercolor and acrylics may be used.
4. A photo or scanned copy (.jpg, .png, .pdf files only) ** of the masterpiece must be labeled with the child's name, age and theme in the appropriate areas on the entry form. The image must be uploaded to: <https://contest.sciartexchange.org/NASA-crew-contest-2021/> to be considered for the contest. At the submission system portal, select the artwork theme for your entry and complete the electronic submission form.
5. Be sure to submit your artwork to the correct theme.
6. After completing the electronic submission form and uploading an artwork image, an email will be sent to the person listed as the parent/guardian on the electronic form. This email has a link to the contest agreement form and must be completed to finalize the entry submission process. Please type all email addresses carefully and avoid using firewalled or 2-step-confirmed email addresses—or we will be unable to email you the agreement form needed to complete your entry.
7. Entries will be judged on originality and theme. You may submit multiple artwork entries (one at a time) ***, but selected entrants can only have one piece of winning artwork.
8. Fifteen (15) first place entrants, fifteen (15) second place entrants, and fifteen (15) third place entrants will be chosen to have their artwork featured in Commercial Crew Program's social media accounts and digital platforms. Winning entrants will receive a digital participation package.
9. Do not wait until the last minute to submit your artwork. The entry form and artwork upload systems close automatically at exactly 5:00 ET. Electronic agreement forms can still be submitted after that time, however.

Note:

(*) Due to export control protocols, the competition is open to all individuals, except those from a "Designated Country." The current list of "Designated Countries" can be found at: <https://www.nasa.gov/oair/export-control>.

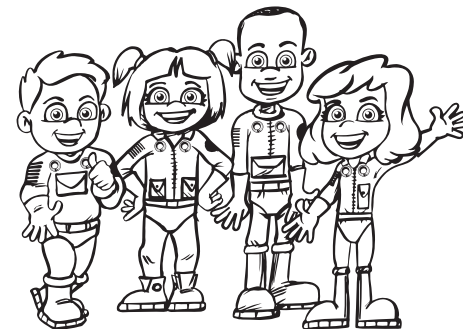
(**) If you do not have a phone or access to a scanner, ask your teacher to take an image and upload the artwork for you or visit your local library for help.

(***) Each entry must be submitted and uploaded individually. Parents will be responsible for filling out the emailed agreement for those that want their artwork displayed.

Design Themes

Choose a theme, create your masterpiece, scan or take a good photo (pdf, jpg, png files only), and enter the contest at:

<https://contest.sciartexchange.org/NASA-crew-contest-2021/>



THEME 1: ASTRONAUTS

Did you know? NASA astronauts are flying once again to space from U.S.

soil. Check out the first crewed mission on a commercial spacecraft, the SpaceX Crew Dragon, on YouTube at: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=9Pzd1jFCVSQ>

THEME 2: ROCKETS

Commercial crew has launched a new app! Select your partner, mission, and crew. Then put your skills to the test as you launch and dock with the International Space Station. You can learn more about the real-life missions, dynamic vehicles and spacecraft as well as the heroes who make it all happen to ensure mission success:

<https://rocketsciencec2e.ksc.nasa.gov/>.

THEME 3: SPACECRAFT

Do you want to know what the new commercial crew capsules that will fly to the International Space Station are like? Both Boeing's Starliner and SpaceX's Crew Dragon are featured here: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zrBTu389aqY&t=3s>.

THEME 4: LIVING AND WORKING IN SPACE

Living in space is not the same as living on Earth. What are the astronauts doing on the International Space Station?

They work, eat, sleep and exercise to stay healthy, just like we do on Earth, but microgravity makes things a little more interesting. Check it out here! <https://www.nasa.gov/audience/foreducators/stem-on-station/dayinthelife>

<https://www.nasa.gov/content/explore-the-diverse-ecosystem-of-experiments-being-researched-on-iss>.

THEME 5: EXPLORING THE SOLAR SYSTEM

Our solar system is located in the vast Milky Way Galaxy. It consists of the Sun (our star) and everything that orbits around it, including the eight planets and their natural satellites (like our Moon), dwarf planets, asteroids and comets. More than 300 robotic spacecraft have explored destinations beyond Earth's orbit, including 24 astronauts who orbited the Moon, helping us learn how we can safely explore deep space and make exciting discoveries.

Go here to find activities that you can do: <https://solarsystem.nasa.gov/kids/do-it-yourself>.

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NASA's Commercial Crew Program wants you to help draw out our future in space exploration! We're doing things a little differently this year to showcase more of your ideas online in celebration of human spaceflight and exploration. The best thing is that it will be really easy, and you could see your work featured on the Commercial Crew website!

www.nasa.gov/commercialcrew



Artwork Title:

Artist Name:

Age: _____

Hometown: _____

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